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Subject: End of Day -- June 26, 2018

PRESS

Press release issued: U.S. EPA awards Navajo Abandoned Mine Lands program \$888,000

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has awarded the Navajo Nation Abandoned Mine Lands (NAML) program \$888,523 to help assess and clean up abandoned uranium mines on the Navajo Nation. Since 2016, the EPA has awarded \$1.2 million to NAML. Margot Perez-Sullivan

Arizona Daily Star (Tony Davis) [Received 6/26] OPEN – Requested additional information on PFAS issue in Tucson. Reporter is trying to determine more detailed information. Let reporter know that drinking water office chief is out. Wanted context on ATSDR report and also wanted to know what kind of investigations EPA is doing on this. AZ, WTR Margot Perez-Sullivan

Lawyer Blogger at Counsel, Hinman & Carmichael LLP (Barbara Snider) [Received 6/25] – OPEN – Lawyer is writing a blog for all their alcoholic beverages manufacturers to clarify for them the roles of the EPA and the Regional Water Boards in implementing the CWA. She wants to discuss the various circumstances and procedures under which the EPA will conduct an inspection and general guidelines for their clients to follow. Coordinating with attorney on Herzog case to review blog post. ENF, Central CA, Soledad Calvino.

Hoodline Oakland (Scott Morris) [Received 6/12] – OPEN – Reporter would like an update on AMCO site cleanup. Will work with program on response. Let reporter know that timeframe for response would be early July, he confirmed that is ok. SFD, NorCal, Michele Huitric

KALW, NPR-affiliate (Wendy Holcombe) [Received 6/11] – CLOSED – Producer is putting together a show on the Bayview/Hunters Point Shipyard cleanup and development and has asked if Enrique Manzanilla would be able to join the panel discussion. Contacted the producer for specifics; did not hear back and proposed show date has passed. SFD, NorCal, Michele Huitric

NBC San Diego (Audra Stafford) [Received 6/14]—CLOSED—Reporter is looking for details on the case against Diamond Environmental as well as any additional information on upcoming investigations. Sent reporter information. SoCal, CID, Nahal Mogharabi.

WEB & SOCIAL MEDIA

Social Media:

Navajo/Uranium Mines – Posted to our [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) pages about the recent progress at the Quivira mines and included pictures of the area, and linked to the [Navajo Nation: Cleaning Up Abandoned Uranium Mines](#) site.

Website Updates:

Newsletter – Published the [EPA in the Pacific Southwest Newsletter](#) which includes stories about the volcanic eruption in Hawaii, the new Regional Administrator, the completion of cleanup work related to the Northern California wildfires of 2017, the Shell Oil settlement, and more.

Navajo/Uranium Mines – Updated links and navigation on our [Navajo Nation: Cleaning Up Abandoned Uranium Mines](#) site.

Public Notice/Air Quality Planning – Moved the [Public Notice: California State Implementation Plan; Navajo Nation; Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community; Correcting Amendments](#) to the archive.

CONGRESSIONAL & INTERGOVERNMENTAL

California Republican Congressional Caucus – Regional Administrator Mike Stoker participated today in a luncheon in Washington, DC, with the California Republican Congressional Caucus.

Congressional Outreach on EPA Award to Navajo Abandoned Mine Lands Program: Brent Maier shared today's press release with Congressional staff in the offices of Senators John McCain and Jeff Flake and Rep. Tom O'Halleran announcing that EPA has awarded the Navajo Nation Abandoned Mine Lands (NAML) program \$888,523 to help assess and clean up abandoned uranium mines on the Navajo Nation.

(Cancelled) Sen. Dianne Feinstein (D-CA): A meeting with Senator Dianne Feinstein and Regional Administrator Mike Stoker that was scheduled for tomorrow on June 27th at 11:00am in 311 Hart Senate Office Building **has been cancelled** according to Chief of Staff Amy Miller.

Tomorrow - Wednesday, June 27, 2018 - California Democratic Congressional Caucus Luncheon - Regional Administrator Mike Stoker is participating from 12:00pm – 1:00pm in a luncheon with the California Democratic Congressional Caucus.

Tomorrow - Wednesday, June 27, 2018 – Rep. Salud Carbajal (D-CA-24): Chief of Staff Amy Miller has confirmed with Chief of Staff Jeremy Tittle a meeting with Regional Administrator Mike Stoker on June 27 at 1:00pm in 212 Cannon House Office Building. Chief of Staff Amy Miller will also be participating.

Tomorrow - Wednesday, June 27, 2018 - Rep. Nancy Pelosi (D-CA-12): A meeting has been confirmed with Democratic Leader Nancy Pelosi and Regional Administrator Mike Stoker for Wednesday, June 27, at 2:00pm in the Capitol, H-204. Chief of Staff Amy Miller will also be participating. Along with OCIR's Deputy Assistant Administrator Aaron Ringel. The primary focus of discussion for this meeting is expected to be the Hunters Point Superfund Site.

Tomorrow - Wednesday, June 27, 2018 - House Oversight and Government Reform Committee: Holding a June 27 hearing on the White House proposal to reorganize many executive agencies. Even if the plan gains Congressional approval -- an unlikely prospect -- EPA would escape mostly unscathed since the document calls for a review of the agency's field presence to determine whether any changes are necessary, rather than immediate restructuring. 10:00am ET. 2154 Rayburn House Office Building. <https://oversight.house.gov/hearing/examining-the-administrations-government-wide-reorganization-plan/>

Tomorrow - Wednesday, June 27, 2018 – EPA Local Government Advisory Committee (LGAC) Administrative Session: LGAC will convene an administrative session via teleconference on Wednesday, June 27, 3:00-4:00 pm ET, to discuss workgroup structure and membership in order to best address the Committee's and the Administrator's priorities. This administrative session will provide members an opportunities for input on LGAC upcoming agenda and working group formation. OCIR Contact: Frances Eargle

Upcoming Congressional Meetings, Hearings, Intergovernmental Meetings and Events:

Monday, July 2, 2018 – Rep. Mark DeSaulnier Town Hall on "Protecting Our Environment" in Moraga: Congressman Mark DeSaulnier will host a town hall on "Protecting Our Environment" on Monday, July 2, at 6:30 p.m. in Moraga. This town hall will explore the role government plays in protecting our environment. During the town hall, Congressman DeSaulnier will discuss the major environmental laws that protect our air, water, wildlife, and open spaces, and constituents will have the opportunity to ask questions and share thoughts on this important issue. To RSVP, visit <https://desaulnier.house.gov/town-hall-rsvp> or call 925-933-2660.

Tuesday, July 10, 2018 – EPA HQ Public Hearing on Sulfur Dioxide: EPA HQ has scheduled a public hearing on the proposal to retain the existing primary, or health-based, national ambient air quality standard for sulfur dioxide. The hearing will be held at the EPA Headquarters East building in Washington, DC, Room 1117, on Tuesday, July 10, 2018, starting at 9 am. For details on the hearing or to sign up to provide oral testimony, please see: <https://www.epa.gov/so2-pollution/forms/public-hearing-primary-national-ambient-air-quality-standard-so2-proposed>. EPA is extending the public comment period until August 9, 2018.

Wednesday, July 18, 2018 - EPA HQ FY 2020 Budget Forum: EPA HQ will convene a EPA FY 2020 Budget Forum here at EPA headquarters, with a scheduled session for Local, State, and Tribal leaders on Wednesday, July 18, 1:00pm – 4:30pm. The meeting will focus on strategies for achieving results in selected priority areas guided by discussion questions. EPA's senior leadership council will expand conversation to include leadership representatives from the Environmental Council of States, National Tribal Caucus Executive Committee, the Local Government Advisory Committee, the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture, and the Association of State and Territorial Health Officials. OCIR Contact: Demond Matthews

Thursday – Friday, July 19 – 21, 2018 - National Governors' Association Annual Meeting: The National Governors' Association will host their annual meeting in Santa Fe, NM, July 19-21. One session will focus on state leadership in US infrastructure investment. At the close of the meeting, Governor Steve Bullock of Montana will take over as NGA Chair. OCIR Contact: Becky Cook-Shyovitz

Monday – Thursday, July 30 – August 2, 2018 - National Conference of State Legislators Annual Summit: The National Conference of State Legislators will host their annual summit in Los Angeles July 30-August 2. The Natural Resources and Infrastructure committee will meet to consider policy directives and resolutions. Other sessions will focus on ethanol fuels, CAFÉ standards, and drinking water safety. OCIR Contact: Becky Cook-Shyovitz

Monday – Tuesday, July 30 – 31, 2018 – Rep. Tom O'Halleran (D-AZ-1): As part of a 2 week "RV-tour" by Representative Tom O'Halleran, his office has requested USEPA participation in a mine site visit of Claim 28 abandoned uranium mine in Blue Gap/Tachee chapter of Navajo Nation. Jack Jackson, Tribal Engagement Representative for the Congressman has proposed the following itinerary: July 30 (evening) – Holiday Inn, Chinle AZ – Dinner and Presentation of US EPA work on Navajo Nation AUM CERCLA work (inclusive of discussion); July 31 (morning) – Blue Gap/Tachee Chapter House, AZ - Meet at chapter house, introductions and statements; Drive to Claim 28 mine: view and discuss mine, possible tour of UNM mobile lab; Return and conclude. Invitees will/may include: Dine Uranium Remediation Advisory Commissioner Sarafina Nez; Navajo Nation Council Speaker; Navajo Nation Council Delegate Kee Allen Begay, Jr.; Chapter President Aaron Yazzie; Phase 1 Trustee, Sadie Hoskie; Phase 2 RSE Trustee, Derrith Watchman-Moore; US EPA; Navajo Nation EPA; and Navajo Nation Abandoned Mine Lands Program. SFD Lead: Freyja Knapp